

# Trees & Resources Focus Group

## Summary Notes (June 1, 2009)



RESOLVED ISSUES	FURTHER DISCUSSION
Coordination of codes (essential)	Mitigation in code – catastrophic event and intentional destruction
Flood plains	Quality/location of trees – protect v. preserve
Need to find a middle ground	Mitigation – tool in the developers tool box; ask for preservation Corps of Eng. process
Simplicity of codes	Bio-diversity/Wildlife Corridors
Centric codes – easy to use	Plant lists for ROW/private property – natives encouraged/invasive species discouraged
Maintain Resources within the City	Forest Resource versus site capacity
	Affordable Housing versus Resource protection
	Integrity of natural resources - maintenance
	Replacement schedule for trees
	Daylight stream beds
	Solar and wind energy system impacts on resources
	WUI codes – coordinate with zoning code
	Post development resources (finalize coordination with Fire Dept)
	Multiple scales

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